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**Adult Basic Education and Training (ABET)
Site-Based Assessment
Portfolio Of Evidence**

Communication in English:	NQF Level 1
Total:	30 marks
Duration:	8 hours
Task 1:	Assignment
Number of pages:	11 pages

Learner Information

Name _____

Surname _____

Identity/

Passport Number _____

Employee Number _____

Company _____

Centre _____

Date _____

Declaration

I declare that this portfolio of evidence is my own work: _____

Signature



INSTRUCTIONS

1. This assignment consists of **THREE ACTIVITIES**.
2. Complete **ALL** the **ACTIVITIES**.
3. Adhere to the numbering used in this assignment.



ACTIVITY 1: LETTER

You have been invited to speak at a Gala Event which aims to raise funds and highlight the impact of load shedding and load reduction in your community.

Write a formal letter to the Event Organiser in response to the invitation confirming your attendance.

Your letter should be 1 page long.

TOTAL MARKS FOR ACTIVITY 1

[10]



ACTIVITY 2: ESSAY

Write an essay of approximately 1 to 1½ pages on one of the following topics. Choose either Question 2.1 or 2.2.

- 2.1 “When something is important enough, you do it even if the odds are not in your favour.”

Write an essay starting or ending with the quoted statement above. Give your essay a heading/title.

(10)

OR

- 2.2 *“Loadshedding was first introduced by Eskom in 2007 as an emergency measure. But in the past few years, it developed into a near-permanent situation in some parts of South Africa.”*

Has the South African government done enough to eradicate the load shedding crisis in the country? Write an essay in which you give arguments for or against the question.

(10)

TOTAL MARKS FOR ACTIVITY 2

[10]



ACTIVITY 3: ESSAY

Write an essay of approximately 1 to 1½ pages on one of the following topics. Choose either Question 3.1 or 3.2.

3.1 Chasing your dream job/career can be beneficial in the long run. (10)

OR

3.2 Look at the cartoon below.



Source: Daily Maverick

The cartoon above shows all the different political parties and politicians coming out of the 2024 Elections and the formation of the Government of National Unity (GNU).

Write an essay giving your views and feelings on whether you think that South Africa will benefit in all areas from the Government of National Unity (GNU).

(10)

TOTAL MARKS FOR ACTIVITY 3

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Task 1 – Assignment



TOTAL FOR TASK 1: 30 MARKS

	Activity	Maximum Mark	Learner's Mark	Moderated Mark
Task 1	Activity 1	10		
	Activity 2	10		
	Activity 3	10		
	Total: Task 1	30		

